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Box Patent Application

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1.	$\boxtimes$	Specification,	abstract and	claims	of 57	pages.
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2.	$\boxtimes$	8	sheets of	formal	informal drawings	No drawings.
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3.	$\boxtimes$	Α	Combined Declaration	on and Power	of Attorney	(unsigned)

- Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- Other: Request And Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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Serial No.	Date Filed	Country	Certified Copy of USSN or PCT#	Priority Doc. Filed Date
60/254,334	November 1, 2000	United States		

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			Fees: 3	
$\boxtimes$	Independent Claims	4	Total Claims Subject to	\$84.00
			Fees: 1	
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Title	SYSTEM CHIP SYNTHESIS		-
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